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**WEEKLY UPDATE FROM THE OFFICE OF
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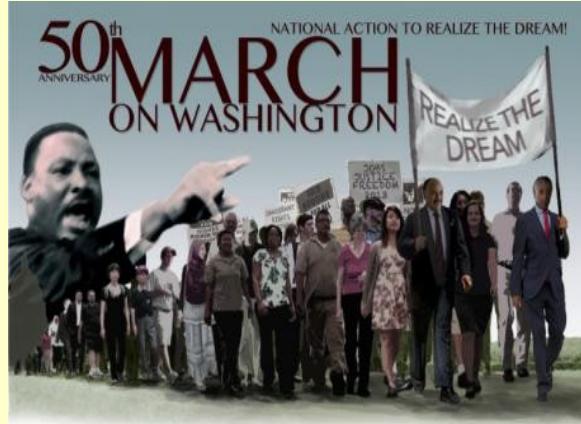
AUGUST 30, 2013

Myrtle's Message

"I Have a Dream": Celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the March on Washington

This past week I had the honor of traveling to our nation's capitol to attend the 44th A. Philip Randolph Institute (APRI) National Education Conference and the commemoration of the 50th anniversary of the March on Washington, a moment which spurred a movement that changed America forever.

A. Philip Randolph is an American labor and civil rights leader and considered the most prominent of all African American trade unionists. He was one of the major figures in the struggle for civil rights and racial equality, having led the March on Washington which resulted in two major executive orders (one from President Roosevelt and one from President Truman). The first banned discrimination in the defense industries during World War II and led to the establishment of the nation's first Fair Employment Practice Committee. The second ended segregation (separation based on race) in the armed forces. I was also awarded by the NAACP, the A. Philip Randolph Award for leadership and advocacy for the African American community, so it was important that I attended and participated.



August 28, 2013 marked 50 years since Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. delivered his iconic "I Have a Dream" speech at the base of the Lincoln Memorial during the March on Washington. As we mark this important anniversary, we reflect on what the Civil Rights Movement has meant for the country, and perhaps most importantly, the hard work that lies ahead for all of us as we continue to pursue the ideals laid out by Dr. King, and sought by the hundreds of thousands of Americans who marched through our nation's capital fifty years ago.

I spent my time in DC at the Conference helping reinforce and galvanize the workers' agenda to demand guaranteed rights for equitable and fair treatment in the workplace; jobs that pay a living wage; universal healthcare for all; affordable housing; accessible and effective public education for our children; and social security benefits that can support one in retirement.

While I was unable to attend last week's Special Council Meeting, my attendance and advocacy at the Conference was not only life-changing, but also critical as we are now one step closer to bringing the APRI National Conference to San Diego.

It was moments like the March and leaders like A. Philip Randolph that paved the way for me. It is because of these moments that I am allowed to serve proudly and honorably as the first African American woman in this Council seat. It was a moment in my life that I will cherish forever and it is a moment that we as San Diegans can all be proud of.

Getting Things Done in D4



Left turn light sensor is installed on southbound Euclid Avenue at Federal Boulevard



Over 51 tons of waste was removed at two mini community cleanups in the communities of Oak Park, O'Farrell Park, and Chollas View.



District Four constituents were invited to share ideas and make recommendations at the SANDAG Regional Plan Workshop



The following code violations were reported. Fines start at \$2,500 per day if not corrected.

- Illegal construction of porch structure was added on without permits
- Auto repair business conducted in a residential zone
- Unregistered and inoperable vehicles at residential area
- Outdoor storage violation



Several streets were paved throughout District Four



Installed new community sign on the west side of Kelton Road at Bethune Court

Councilmember Cole in the Community



Councilmember Cole celebrated the opening of the new Children's Playground at Gompers Neighborhood Park in District Four.

Community Events & Meetings

March on Washington 50th Anniversary - The Conditions of Labor & Employment in SD at the Jacobs Center on Thursday 08/29/23 6:30 pm. Please join us as we continue the conversation on the March for Freedom and Jobs. We celebrate this historic event that took place 50 years ago. This event is sponsored by the San Diego Voice & Viewpoint Newspaper and the NAACP.

CELEBRATING OUR FAMILIES! Free Conference & Resource Fair in your community for Grandparents and Relative Caregivers raising and caring for children. Enjoy a day of Information, Entertainment and Much More for You and Your family! Saturday, Sept. 7th - 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. Jo & Vi Jacobs Center 404 Euclid Ave., San Diego 92114. Visit this website for more INFORMATION & REGISTRATION: www.211sandiego.org/grandparents Or call (855) 238-5978. FREE CHILD CARE AND LUNCH WILL BE PROVIDED!

Skyline Hills Branch Library Community Input Meeting - NEW Skyline Hills Branch Library Coming Soon — Your Input is Needed! Councilmember Cole encourages you to join her in sharing your ideas at an upcoming meeting to provide input about what features you would like to see included in and on the new library on Wednesday September 11 at 6:00 pm at the Bell Junior High School Auditorium.

The First Play of the 50th Season! Before it Hits Home - Presented by Common Ground Theatre will be showing Fri-Sun; Sept. 14-29; at the Educational Cultural Complex 4343 Ocean View Blvd, San Diego, CA 92113. Order tickets online at CGTSD.org or call (619) 272-3209.

Home Buying/Selling Workshop - FREE ADMISSION!!! Learn how to THRIVE, not just survive, in today's real estate market. Lunch will be served at no cost to all attendees. Please RSVP to reserve your spot by calling (619) 262-2671 ext.0. Saturday, September 14 at noon at the St. Stephen's Cathedral COGIC 5825 Imperial Avenue, San Diego, CA 92114.

Reader's & Writer's Fair - Interested in being a writer? Ask local writers how they did it! Meet over a dozen published authors including award winners and find out more about their work! Three guest speakers including a New York Times bestselling author and Pulitzer Prize nominee! Paradise Hills Public Library Saturday, September 21, 2013 from 10 am—1 pm.

Career Fair - Making Career & Employment Opportunity Connections! Panel discussion begins at 6:35 pm. Professional attire is encouraged and bring your resume. Tuesday, September 24 from 6:00 pm to 8:00 pm at the Malcolm X Library 5148 Market Street (619) 527-3405.

Museum Mash Up - FREE ADMISSION! SDHC joins nearly 20 museums and cultural institutions across the county for a family friendly fair at the Jacobs Center for Neighborhood Innovation. Live music, dance performances will be on the cultural stage as well as animal and creature appearances from local nature centers plus dozens of hands-on activities from museums across the region make for a family fun day out like no other. Sunday, September 29 from 1:00pm to 4:00pm at the Jo & Vi Jacobs Center 404 Euclid Ave., San Diego 92114.

Myrtle's Job Board *Look who's hiring NOW!*

Richard Heath and Associates, Inc.

Monday, August 26, 2013 at 1:00pm

South County Career Center - 1111 Bay Blvd Ste. E
619-628-0322

Hilton San Diego Bayfront

To apply visit: www.hiltonworldwide.com/careers

South Metro Career Center

4389 Imperial Avenue - 619-266-4200

Metro Career Center

3910 University Avenue, Suite 300 - 619-516-2200

Military Sealift Command Careers

Call 1-888-282-1493 or visit

www.sealiftcommand.com

America's Job Exchange (over 1,000 jobs!)

Call 866-923-6284 or email customer-care@americasjobexchange.com

Crowne Plaza San Diego Hotel

<http://www.cp-sandiego.com/index.php//employment>
2270 Hotel Cir N (619) 297-1101

HigherEdJobs

<https://www.higheredjobs.com/search/default.cfm>

HP Careers

<http://www8.hp.com/us/en/jobsathp/index.html>

Las Americas Premium Outlets

Email resumes to: Vanessa Barron at vbarron@simon.comcareers/
contact: Maria Fernanda Sanchez

San Diego Zoo Safari Park

<https://www.hrapply.com/sandiegozoo/Setup.app>
Contact: Linda M. Joe, PHR
15500 San Pasqual Valley Road

The Hartford

www.thehartford.com/careers
1111 Bay Blvd., Ste. E

Luth Research, LLC

<http://www.luthresearch.com/careers>
1365 4th Ave San Diego, CA 92101
(619) 234-5884

Poway Unified School District

<http://www.powayusd.com/employment/>
15250 Avenue of Science
(858) 521-2800 ext. 2761

Tandem Diabetes Care, Inc.

<http://www.tandemdiabetes.com/careers/>
(858) 366-6900

Procipio, Cory, Hargreaves & Savitch LLP

<http://www.procipio.com/careers/staff/staff-openings>

Mensaje de parte de Myrtle

"Yo Tengo un Sueño": Celebrando el 50º Aniversario de la Marcha sobre Washington

Esta semana pasada tuve el honor de viajar a la capital de nuestra nación para asistir el 44º A. Philip Randolph Institute (APRI) National Education Conference y la conmemoración del 50º aniversario de la Marcha sobre Washington, un momento que estimulo un movimiento que cambio América para siempre.

A Philip Randolph es un líder en derechos laborales y civiles americanos y considerado uno de los mas prominente de todos los sindicalistas afroamericanos. Él fue uno de los protagonistas mayores en la lucha por los derechos civiles y la igualdad racial, después de haber liderado la Marcha sobre Washington que resulto en dos órdenes ejecutivas mayores (uno del Presidente Roosevelt y uno del Presidente Truman). La primera prohibió discriminación en las industrias de defensa durante la Segunda Guerra Mundial y llevo a la creación de la primera Comisión de Prácticas de Empleo Justo en la nación. La segunda termino segregación (separación basada en la raza) en las fuerzas armadas. También fui premiada por el NAACP, el Premio A Philip Randolph por el liderazgo y la defensa de la comunidad afroamericana, así que era importante que yo asistiera and participara.

El 28 de agosto del 2013 marco 50 años desde que Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. dio su discurso icónico "Yo Tengo un Sueño" en la base de el Lincoln Memorial durante la Marcha sobre Washington. Al conmemorar este aniversario importante, reflexionamos sobre lo que el Movimiento por los Derechos Civiles ha significado para el país, y quizás lo más importante, el trabajo que queda por delante para todos nosotros a medida que continuamos persiguiendo los ideales delineados por Dr. King, y buscados por cientos de miles estadounidenses que marcharon por la capital de nuestra nación hace cincuenta años.

Pase mi tiempo en DC en la Conferencia ayudando a reforzar e impulsar la agenda de los trabajadores para exigir los derechos garantizados por el trato equitativo y justo en el lugar de trabajo; trabajos que pagan un salario digno; salud universal para todos; vivienda asequible; educación pública accesible y efectiva para nuestros hijos; y los beneficios del seguro social que pueden apoyar a uno en la jubilación.

Mientras no pude atender la Junta Especial del Ayuntamiento de la semana pasada, mi asistencia y apoyo en la Conferencia no solo fue algo que cambio mi vida, pero también es fundamental como ahora estamos un paso más cerca de traer el APRI Conferencia Nacional a San Diego.

Fueron momentos como la Marcha y líderes como A. Philip Randolph que abrieron el camino para mí. Es por estos momentos que tengo permiso de servir con orgullo y honor como la primera mujer afroamericana en este asiento del Consejo. Fue un momento en mi vida que voy a atesorar para siempre y es un momento en que nosotros, como residentes de San Diego, podemos estar orgullosos.